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To Vote or

members of society, as Betsy Bobbett puts it, to the exclusion of the old topics of spring styles, house furnishing, society events and the other A Father Ruins His Own Children! things that have hitherto engrossed the fair sex. Not only the Ohio women but the women of the great Attorney Pagan. All the parties most interested in the matter reside in commonwealth of New York, are just Harrison township, where the inhuman occurrence has created no little now all in a flutter over expected excitement. The story as we have learned it is about as follows, omitequal suffrage, and it is said that in New York's "400," woman suffrage is talked of to the exclusion of every- of the thing else. Clubs for the study of future from all outward appearance politics and the science of government seemed to lie before them. But a few have crowded out all other literary nized, the young wife became aware that she was in an interesting conmovements and, be it said to the cred-dition and had a terrible confession to make to her husband, whom she it of the women, they are not going loved and trusted. into politics without being intelligent. The confession was to the effect that she was soon to become a mothly informed as to what is expected of er and that her own father was the them when it comes to casting ballots, band was struck dumb with astonishment and shame. The wife related and that cannot be said of the floating male vote that holds the balance of lusts of her unnatural father, and left power in so many of the large cities. ballot. She is ready to yield her "pet he privileges" to the larger prerogative the other rights that belong to the But conservative woman, of whom there is a legion in the land, is not

equal tax paying. But to change the subject the sea- Narrow Escape of Mrs. Shearer and son of the year is here when everybody should guard well his or her health and manner of living. The system needs building up, whether it be man or woman, girl or boy, old or is at Saur & Basley's, when any one can find the remedy to fit their case.

lished on the same sure footing with

In fact this store is headquarters for all known remedies in the medical science. Their drugs are fresh and pure, their medicines of the best concoctions in the market, and intended for both man and beast. The human system at this season of the year not only needs attention, but also the system of your stock. Look after the welfare of your stock as will as the welfare of yourself.

The wall paper department of this The Woodward Family Meet in Rehouse is the most complete in this section of the State. As is also their paint and oil department. As this is the season of the year to brush up and brighten the appearance of your about 84, and we understand from one homes, you can do no better than by time was had. The Woodward famiselecting your supplies at the store of erations were represented at this re-Saur & Balsley. A fine line of win- union, and for the nith time they met acre Sec. 36, \$25. dow shades and decorations. All these goods are sold so cheap that it ily and Jason Woodward and family, is sheer folly to let your homes wear the old and dilapidated appearance. Frank Blackman and family, Henry Come in and lay in a supply of these goods, brush up and add your mite towards making life beautiful and two control of the co

THE PILE OINTMENT

HOME AGAIN!

ing Home at Noon Yesterday.

Amid Music and Banners Flying!

Co. F and the 16th Reg't. Band arrived home yesterday noon, after an absence of twelve days in the striker's regions. The boys were heartily welcomed home, and while there were no public reception or concerted action, the streets were beautifully decorated with the national colors and a large crowd met the soldiers at the depot and escorted them up town. Everybody was glad and rejoiced to see the boys home again and know of the Co. and Band looked a little That is the question that is just now during the past two weeks, otherwise

A CASE OF INCEST.

A most aggravated case of incest

months after the marriage was solem-

parent of her unborn child! The hushow she was forced to accede to the nothing of the horrible tale untold.

The husband confronted the brute with his crime, and threatened dire But, as we started to say, the women of the country are not a unit when it feeted to this effect: The husband was to continue to live with his wife was to continue to live with his wife comes to voting. The jin de siecle as if nothing was amiss, the child was to be kept and cared for until it was woman is of course anxious to cast a fourteen months old, when the real father was to take it, and \$400 was to be paid the injured husband. The child was kept the allotted time, but the guilty father then refused to ac entailed by "rights" and she wants to cept it, and the \$400 not being paid. the young husband threatened to vote, just as she wants to exercir all place the matter in the hands of the law, and did do so, but the unatural father had fled to parts unknown, sphere of progressive womankind, and his whereabouts is still a myste ry, although the officers are on the

lookout for him. We are also informed that this marjust sure that she cares, or wants, or has been his victim, but that an older stands in suffering need of the right sister was also a victim to his lustful desires. Hanging is too good for the of suffrage and so it will be some litbrute, and the hope is that he may be detected and the law meeted out tle time before equal suffrage is estabto its full extent.

BURNED WITH GASOLINE.

Little Daughter.

On Thursday last, as Mrs. Joseph Shearer was in the act of replenishing her stove with gasoline an accident took place which might have cost her her life, and also that of her little daughter. In filling the tank of the stove Mrs. S. removed the cork from young, and just the place to go to get the top of can, in order to let the fluid run more freely, and in doing so quite the required medicines or stimulants a quantity of the gasoline splashed out of the can and over the stove. In an instant the fluid was in flames, setting fire to the carpet, which threatened to destroy the house. Mrs. S. grabbed up the carpet, wrapped it about the burning can, and threw part of lot 40 in S. D. & J. H. Stearns both into the yard; in doing so her hands and arms were burned quite severely, and the clothing of her little three-year old daughter was ignited, the right side of the child's face being burned seriously before the mother could smother the fire. Outside of the injuries sustained by the mother and child, the house was damaged to the extent of about \$30, which was covered by insurance. It was a mi-raculous escape from death for both mother and child, and the destruc-tion of the residence by fire.

FOR THE NINTH TIME

On Thursday last the home of Mr. who was there that a most enjoyable ty Center; D. C. Brown, family and sister, of Napoleon.

SHIP CANAL.

Some Interesting Facts Regarding This Important Question.

Colonel Anderson, civil engineer of Cincinnati, is deeply interested in the much talked of ship canal uniting the Ohio River with Lake Erie. In an interview he said that the canals of the State, when built sixty years ago, cost \$12.000,000, or more than one-fith the tax valuation of the State at that time; such a rate now would raise \$366,000,000. The State could not now build a canal, as the constitution of the State forbids it. Hence, if built, will have to be done by the govern-

ment.
The committee on railways and canals of the House of Representatives has reported unanimously in favor of a survey to decide the best route, and Colonel Anderson and Major Burke propose the route of the Miami canal as far as Piqua, then to follow the Miami river to where Plum creek enheadwater of the Auglaize river; then down its confluence with the Maumee and on to Toledo.

Less lockage would be required by this route, and the water supply that all arrived safely. The members the Welland canal, a barge or whalethe worse for service they had seen and return with coal, or pursue its abone point. This point was broken way to the Atlantic. He deems its That is the question that is just now during the past two weeks, otherwise agitating the minds of the female they were the same old Napoleon al importance and especially beneverage they were the same old Napoleon al importance and especially beneverage they were the same old Napoleon al importance and especially beneverage to the same of th

> Out of every 100 males over 20 years instrument, of age 64 are married, 5 widowed and 31 single. Out of every 100 women over 20 years of age 67 are married,

Challenge Sale

EVERY DAY, AT

ore than window g ass.

RIDGEVILLE CORNERS.

recorded during the past week:

Real Estate Pransfers.

The following transfers have been

BICHFIELD TOWNSHIP.

T. O. Coulter to O. Shufelt, 10 acres

C. Bish to F. H. Short, land] for

streets, \$40. Julius Nathan to W. Gray, 5 acres

E. E. Thrapp to J. H. Drummond.

HOLGATE.

LIBERTY CENTER.

A. Sohn to J. Laver, pt. lot 20, \$45, S. Wiseman to L. G. Ennes, part

E. W. Rathburn to L. G. Ennes.

NAPOLEON CORPORATION.

G. C. Stahl to G. W. Battenfield,

A. J. Saygers to A. J. Ulrich, lot

42, Yeager's 3 add., \$300. Sarah Ritter to M. E. Hartman,

lots 9 and 10 of lot 18, Hartman's sub.

F. W. Blair to D. Wilson, lot 8.

Hudson & Parker to C. S. Well-

man, lot 242 Sheffield's 3 add., \$6.56. McCLURE.

C. H. Gidley, Receiver, to B. F. Houser, lot 71, Mf. o. Add., \$44.20

FLATROCK TOWNSHIP.

Emma D. Glore to A. A. Bortz, 65

Wm. Carns to G. W. Walker, 15-100

PLEASANT TOWNSHIP.

H. Brinkman to trustees M. E. Church, † acre Sec. 19, \$1. Peter Dirr to D. Wolf, 80 acres Sec.

D. Wolf to W. F. Wolf 40 acres

Calvin & Hendry, Ex., L. Schmeuk,

J. C. Jackson to R. W. Hartman.

- MONBOR TOWNSHIP.

80 acres in Sec. 1, \$1,800.

20 acres in Sec. 11, \$1,00.

H. J. Friend to Mary E. Van

add., \$75.00.

Vlerah, inlot 61, \$600.

lot 6 in Young's add., \$50.

part lot 5, Young's add., \$50.

lot 80 Randall's add., \$138.50.

Mary Dodd's 1st add., \$1.

atres Sec. 22, \$220.

CHANDLER, TENN., June 8, 1894. McCormick H. M. Co., Chicago, Ill. Drar Sir:—I boughts Ponny Deer-

ing Binder last season, it failed to do good work and I sent it back to their agent. It did not make a square butt bundle. It would clog up. It was heavier draft than any 6-ft. Elevator Binder I ever saw. I bought one of your 6-ft. cuts this season from your your 6-ft. cuts this season from your agent, George Brown, at Knoxville. I like its work in every particular. I would not have a Pony Deering or Clydesdale Deering, I should say, on my farm. (Signed)

H. L. W. SINGLETON.
Groschner sells the McCormick. 2t

If we were to search through the long list of articles which go to make up man's diet for the one food the best and most perfect of all, that one would be milk. It is one of the earliest nutriments of the human race, and it is said that no other article of diet is capable of sustaining life so long. Sidney; then up that creek and across the summit at its lowest place to the headwater of the Auglaize street. develop rapidly and perfectly milk alone, attests its value as a food.

On the sixth day of February, 1862, der. The surgeon, in probing for the back of 2.000 tons could be loaded der. The surgeon, in probing for the with iron at Marquette for Cincinnati ball, used a probing instrument with through the muscles of the arm until a few days ago it finally worked its The United States is the land of the way from beneath the flesh and skin, united par excellence. Out of every Capt. Kline says he often felt a slight 100 persons of marriageable age (20 pain in the arm but thought nothing years and upward) in this country 65 of it. Several physicians who examare married, 9 widowed and 26 single.

KEELEY WHISKEY AND OPIUM

A most aggravated case of incest has come to the notice of Prosecuting Attorney Magan. All the parties most interested in the matter reside in Harrison township, where the inhuman occurrence has created no little excitement. The story as we have learned it is about as follows, omitting names:

About a year and a half ago, a About a year and a half ago, a of the young girl was taken to wife by one of the young farmers of Harrison township, and a bright and happy future from all outward appearances:

31 single. Out of every 100 women over 20 years of age 67 are married. 13 windowed and 20 single. The vital statistics of no other country make so good a showing. Probably the ease with which a livelihood may be earned in the United States has so much to do with promoting matriting names:

About a year and a half ago, a dimitted loveliness and superiority of American women. Is it any wonder that four-fifths of them become township, and a bright and happy future from all outward appearances.

CHALLENGE SALE!

The reason why we are not afraid to publish prices of our goods is

because WE KNOW that our competitors can not discount them. How

is this for a starter: 150 pair womans' gloves at 20c per pair; other dealers will charge you 20c. Wove wire mattressess, a hummer at \$1,25; China Silks 28 in, wide at 50c per yd. Baby cabs at from \$5 to

150 pair Plow Shoes at \$1, think of it, you cannot buy same quality of other donters for less than \$1,50; fine Cassimere Dress Goods at 250 per yd; elegant Bedroom Suits at \$15; Heuderson Sheeting at 5c, worth 7c; Diving room chairs at \$2,25; Indiago prints at 4c, worth 6c; 50 pieces staple prints at 4 and 5c, worth 7; fine and neatly designed Bookcases ever offered at \$17; anything you want in Jewelry at lowest prices; back Mattresses at \$2,25 anch, worth 33,50.

lowest prices; husk Mattresses at \$2,25 each, worth \$3,50.

Table Damask at from 25 to 50c a yd; the best extension pillow sham holder ever offered at 95c; Tri-state Warp, one of the best brands in the market, 20 to 22c; Valless and trunks at lowest prices; brass extension curtain poles at 25c each; Hickory rockers very best at \$2-an elegant line of face veiling at 15c a yd; Bamboo eassels only 75g, everybody ought to have one; acc curtains at \$1 a pair; a big drive in wall paper, come get prices, if you do you will surely huy; we trim the borders as well as the paper; 100 negligne shirts at 50c and 75c, others will charge you \$1 for same makes; a complete line of school books at only 10 per cent, above manufacturers prices; silver watches with gold hinges at only \$12 with Elgin movements best quality of fringed napkins at \$1 a doz; large towel rings and brass hooks for only 17c; a little sharp for mosquito netting, but we have got it just the same for only 6c a yd.; stair and floor bemp carpet, best quality, from 18 to 25c a yard; playing cards at 10c a deck; we have a large line of white dress goods and are going to put the prices down where they belong; Man's Kangaroo shoes, every pair warranted, only \$3 a pair; 100 ladies awiss ribbed vests at 50c each; men's all wool pants, these are bargains, at \$2.25 a pair; 100 dozen straw bats, any style you want at rock bottom prices; French mirror plates, any size you want at a mere trifle

on want at rock bottom prices; French mirror plates, any size you want at a mere trifle

Large line of ladies fine shoes and slippe s at prices that will sell them; 150 dozen

for and wool hats, latest styles and lowest prices; big line of center tables at from \$2 to \$6 each; feather pillows with best tick, at 75c each; Rogers Br)'s, triple plate silver knives and forks at \$3.75 a set; rubber conta from \$2 to \$2.5; rubber boots, sandals, etc., at lowest prices. The above is only a few of the many different arti-

cles we carry in stock, and prices on all goods not mentioned at the lowest prices

In addition to the above we carry a fully line of undertaking goods, ladies and gents'

When you have purchased \$30 worth of goods, for cash, you are en-

titled to your choice of the following: New Haven silverware, tripple

plate and warranted for ten years, consisting of coffee pot, tea pot,

sugar bowl, butter dish, pickel dish, creamer, spooner and syrup dish.

F.A. ROWE

80 acres Sec. 18, \$5,000.

nerd, 94 acres Sec. 14, \$2,000.

LIBERTY TOWNSHIP.

J. V. Cuff to Frank Hahn, 80 acres

Sec. 1, \$4,800.

Mary E. McLain to G. H. McLain.

WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP

J. R. Calder, Guard., to J. K. Shep-

Obituary.

LATHER .- In Napoleon, Ohio, June 4th, 1894,

rederick G. Lather, aged 50 years and 3 months.

A precious one from us has gone,

Which never can be filled. God, in his wisdom has recalled The boon his love has given;

The boon his love has given; And though the body moulders here, The soul is in heaven.

One by one earth ties are broken.

As we see our love decay.

And the hopes so fondly cherished,
Brighten but to pass away.

One by one our hopes grow brighter
As we sear the estining shore,
For we know across the river
Wait the loved ones gone before.

We miss thee from our home, dear,I

A shadow over our life is east,
We miss the sunshine of thy face,
We miss the sunshine of thy face,
We miss thy kind and willing hand,
Thy fond and earnest care;
Our home is dark without thee,
We miss thee every where.

terday.

city yesterday.

I see the blinds are all drawn. I suppose

A. Rasmus, of Florida, was in the

mate. Bettie—Land sakes, no; he was buried yes

\$10 each. Fancy staple ginghams, just new goods, at 5c.

WHO GETS THE MONEY.

Orders Issued Upon the County Treasury.

The following orders have been drawn upon the county treasury for the week ending June 19th. W. C. O M. Weakly D. Frank. C. Overmier, juror Weakly, John Johnson. ***** Norden. 8 00 Hellberg. 8 40 J. A. Knipp, Sol. Heckler, Gilson,

Noah Long. W. Richholt M. C. Wilco C. Wilcox, E. Decker, game warden F. Rafferty, ass. Nap. Tp. 144 00 Brown, asst. sur. ditch 793. 1 25 Zarbaugh, red. lot 61. Holgate..

Vajen, ser. at infirmery... Sue Welsted, school ex... Theek, whitewashing... F. Blue, com. on road...... M. Rochte, ass. sur. ditch

1 25

Capell, ass, sur, ditch 771... Parrish, reparing bridge... Saur & Co., interest. J. V. Cuff, costs...... " fees..... Bickford, wit. fees....

Warner, red. of lots .. B. Vanscoyoc, juror...... S. King, J. Clark D. Rand, Barret Pub. Co., stationery.... J. P. Belknap, adv.....

H. Resh, per diem and mil. . Bickford, wit. fees...... E. Reiger, labor..... Jenning's, asst. sur. ditch

P. Ragan, Pros. Atty. sal. Cuff, fees in crim, cases, 125 00 King, labor and mat 51 10 Reiser, com. fees for May. Rostetter, con. fees..... C. W. W. N. Hess, masonery........ W. O. Hudson, fees ditch 819. 150 00 27 00

" - " # 818. 18 62 35 00 810. Geo. Russell, stamps..... Parker & Hudson, red. of lots. O. Higgins, ad. pay. Nap. cor.2000 00 which was rought up to c Hanna & Co., bridge work..... 100 00 by the Spanish conquerors.

2 00 Wright, services..... Millhouse, services... M. Wilson, services... C. H. Dittmer, Inf. Dir. fees, Chapman & Rollin, goods for

C. H. Dittmer, horse hire and E. A. Blakely, tramp ex... Eager Bros., goods for pauper. House & Hefflinger, goods for 4 00

H. E. Stockman, enpenses... Geo. Weirich, services......

I have two little grand children who are teething this hot summer weathed with plaint. I give them Camberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoa remedy and it acts like a charm. I earnestly recommend it for children with bowel troubles. I was myself taken with a severe attack of bloody flux, with cramps and pains in my stomach, one-third of a bottle of this remedy cured me. Within twenty-fours was out of bed and doing my house work, Mrs. W. L. Dungan, Bon-aqu, Hickman Co., Tenn. For sale by D. J. Humphrey, Na-

OHIO STATE NEWS.

NOTES OF INTEREST TO OUR READ-ERS IN OUR OWN STATE.

Concise and Condensed Telegraphic Reports of the Week-An Interesting Collection of Items From Here and There Throughout the State.

Earl Pool, 3 years old, drank fly poison and died at Upper Sandusky, O. Six hundred unemployed Poles marched to the mayor's office at Toledo and de-manded work. Things looked riotous, but

they were finally dispersed. At the county infirmary near Ironton. O., William Shepard stabbed Elza Willis seven times in the head and neck, inflict-

ing serious if not fatal injuries. Grant Baum, aged 18, of Smithville, O., shot and killed Millie Zimmerman, 17 RHEUMATISM CURED IN A DAY.—"Mystic Cure" for Kheumatism and Neuralgia, radi-cally cures in 1 to 3 days. Its action upon the system is remarkable and mysterious. years old, only daughter of a widowed nother. They were on their way home from a Dunkard lovefeast. Baum claims that the weapon was accidentally dis-It removes at once the cause and the dis-ease immediately disappears. The first dose greatly benefits, 75 cents. Sold by D. J. Humphrey, Druggist, Napoleon. charged. FROM EAR TO EAR.

The Knife Was Drawn Across the Man's Throat.

WOOSTER, O., June 18 .- The police at 1 a, m, Saturday were horrified when an Italian named Mique, appeared before them on the square, with his throat cut from ear to ear, his nose cut off, and his face and body literally slashed to pieces. And he could say was "Wade."

He took the police to the home of George Massoni, a half mile distant, and immediately adjoining the Catholic church. It was learned that Wade Naftzger and the Italian had gone there about midnight. Naftzger was left in, but Mique was refused admission. A little son of Mrs. Massoni's named Foot, admitted him through the back door. Naftzger says he was drunk, and did not know what happened, but heard fighting in the back room, and understood Massoni to say he "had fixed him." During the fighting Mique jumped through a window. Wade Naftzger is a prominent business man and trustee of the bethel church. Massoni was arrested in an icehouse, and the Italian died at Mr. Jangle has gone to seek a cooler cli- 5 o'clock.

Subscribe for the Northwest-\$1.00.

STAR BAKERY.

Rebecca Wikinson, of Brownsvalley, Ind., says: "I have been in a distressed condition for three years from Nervounners, Weakness of the Stomach, Dysepsis and Indigestion until my health was gone, I had been doctoring constantly with no relief. I bought one bottle of South American Norvine, which done me more good than any \$50 worth of doctoring I ever did in my life. I would adviseevery weakly person to use this valuable and lovely remedy; a few bottles of it has cured me completely. I consider it the grandest medicine in the world." Warranied the most wonderful stomach and nerve oure ever known. Trial bottle 15 cents. Sold by D. J. Humphrey, Napoleon, O. Aug., 10-1y Best 25c Meal in the City.

Lunches of all kinds served on short order, Cateer for large receptions, suppers, dances, etc.

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O. JEAKLE, Proprietor.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.-Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

ABSOLUTELY PURE

AN ASP AND DEADLY.

AMERICA'S MOST DEADLY SNAKE IS THE PICHU-CUATE.

It Is Found In the Southwest-Even Snake Charmers Are Afraid of It-A Tiny Thing, but It Kills Very Onickly-A Writer Tells of His First Meeting With One

The southwest is more liberally supplied with venomous things than any other area in the Union. In the burning deserts, in the inhabited but arid expanses of New Mexico and Arizona, the rattlesnake abounds, and in several varieties, including the strange and deadly "sidewinder," Crotolus cerastes. The so called tarantula-really only a gigantic bush spider, but none the less 2 80 dangerous because of the misnomer-is 51 40 decidedly common. Scorpions are none 10 00 too rare in the southern portions of the territories, and in all parts centipeds of 7 to 8 inches long are frequent and neighborly. But the chief distinction of the region in this respect is the pres-King.pt. com. fees for May. 100 00 ence of the pichu-cuate, the deadliest M. Ward, school ex................................. 57 00 snake in North America.

The pichu-cuate matches the worst serpent of India. Not only the most highly venomous, but the tiniest and most treacherous, he would be also the most dangerous-but, luckily, he is the rarest. He is the only true asp on this continent, and in the United States is never found outside of New Mexico and Arizona. That he was also known to the ancient Mexicans is apparent from 5 74 his name- pichu-coatl, an Aztec word, which was rought up to our territory My first meeting with one was in

Valencia county, N. M., in June, 1890, on the sandy flanks of the Cerro del Aire. I was out hunting jack rabbits, in company with some Indian friends, and | Even those who have "the power of the had dismounted to stalk, leading my 65 00 pet horse by the bridle. My eyes were scorns to be tamed even by the dropsuddenly Alazan snorted and reared backward so violently as almost to unhinge my arm. I looked about in surprise, for Alazan was too good a horse to mind trifles. As there was nothing to be seen, I started to pull him forward. 27 10 Again he protested and with evident 3 00 terror, and chancing to look at my very 2 00 feet I understood his fear and felt very grateful that his senses were better than mine, for in another step I should have walked upon my death.

beetle-merely a head and perhaps an inch of neck. But it was the most malignity impossible to describe. It seemed the very essence of wickedness and hate, fairly bulging with deadly spite, and growing upon one until it looked several times its actual size. The ugly triangle (which is the distinguishing mark of all venomous snakes. being formed by the poison gland back of each eye) told me at once that Alazan was keeping up his reputationnever did he shy at a harmless-snakeand the tiny horns, which added a peculiar and grotesque hideousness, left no doubt that this was a pichu-cuate. He had buried himself most to the head in the gray sand, against which his upper skin was barely distinguishable, and thus in ambush was waiting for something to turn up.

Turning Alazan loose, I knelt at the safe distance of a yard to study the little creature, which fairly swelled with murderous rage. It not only struck that the blame lay back of the switch, actually followed it up, and with such a diller that I had to immo up and back

without loss of time. The idea of retreat never seemed to enter that flat head. Sometimes he would lie and puff out with impotent rage, throwing his mouth so wide open that it seemed the venom must start, and sometimes he glided toward me, his head an inch above the ground, with an attitude which seemed to say, "Stand still there, and we'll see who laughs."

At last I killed him. He was neither larger round nor longer than an ordinary lead pencil; a cold, leaden gray on the back, but underneath rosy as the mouth of a conch shell. The fangs were tiny, not much more than an eighth of an inch long, and as delicate as the tiniest needle. A wondrous mechanism, this mouth, with its two automatic needles, so infinitesimal, yet so perfectly competent. I opened the ugly little jaws wide, pressing upon the sides of the head, and when the recurving fangs had risen from their grooves in the roof of the mouth and stood tense a stream so inconceivably fine that the eye could barely note it spurted from each, and in the space of two or three inches melted into invisible spray. Yet that jet, finer than a cobweb strand, was enough to give swift death to the largest and strongest animal that walks.

When the hunt was over, I told my Indian chums of the pichu-cuate and asked them many questions. They all knew of the snake, though several had never seen one, and all agreed that it is extremely rare. The crotalus ranks among the Pueblo divinities, and their charmers have no difficuty with that steady going and respectable reptile. But even among these people, with whom the cult of the rattlesnake has such astounding features and where until recent years every Pueblo kept a sacred rattlesnake in a sacred room, with special priests to attend him, the villainous little sand viper is accursed. snake" can do nothing with him. He on a small chapparo bush ahead, when ping upon his head of the mystic pollen of the corn blossom.-C. F. Lummis in New York Sun.

A Thorough Test.

A very wise man once said that when he began to feel too important he got a map of the universe and tried to find himself on it.

A Soldier's Death.

UHRICHSVILLE DEPOT. O., June 18 .-Friday night was uneventful, nothing The only thing visible was a tiny ob. of importance occurring at any of the ject, not nearly so large as a good stag posts. The only movement of troops since last dispatches was a scouting pacty in force- to Goshen, a mining town frightful object in its kind that I had ever seen. The head, certainly neither so broad nor so long as my thumb nail, teenth regiment.

Corporal Gerber died Friday evening and was taken to Columbus with a military escort Saturday. Governor McKinley and Colonel Cost have both sent letters of condolence to his widowed mother, whose sole support he was.

A youth who had been paid by the nemies of the poet Lamotte to hiss a tragedy of the latter which was being performed for the first time was so deepy affected by a pathetic scene that, bursting into tears, he turned to a friend who was sitting by and said to "Do me the favor of hissing instead

of me. I haven't either the courage or the strength to do it."-Odi Giotto.

Circumstantial Evidence.

Even the clearest and most perfect circumstantial evidence is likely to be at fault, after all, and therefore ought to be received with great caution. Take madly at the chapparo switch I thrust the case of any pencil, sharpened by to it, but at last, evidently discerning any woman. If you have witnesses, you will find she did it with a knife, but if you take simply the aspect of the pencil you will say she did it with her teeth.—Mark Twain in Century.

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